Kusurances.

For Sale.

H. FOURNIER & CO.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

FANCY PLAYING CARDS.

CRACKERS. BONBONS (Assorted).

H. FOURNIER & Co.,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

FRUITS IN JUICE (Assorted).

FIGS. MALAGA RAISINS.

TABLE PLUMS.

. CONFITURES DE ST. JAMES

(in Bottles and Tins).

HUNTLY and PALMER'S BISCUITS.

ALMONDS and NUTS.

VANILLA. PATE DE FOIE GRAS.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,

Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

NOIN DE VEAU TRUFFEE (in Tins).

COTELETTE DE VEAU (in Tins).

VEAU ROTL RIS DE VEAU (in Tips)

FRICANDAU (Assorted). TRUFFES.

VEGETABLES (Assorted):

SARDINES in Lemon Juice.

H. FOURNIER & Cc.,

Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED '

FRENCH and ENGLISH MUSTARD.

FRENCH ISIGNY BUTTER (in 1 and !

MACCARONI, (Assorted) Paste for

Soups, Letters, stars, &c. TAPIOCA.

AN ASSORTMENT OF CHEESE.

GRUYERE, ROQUEFORT,

DUTCH, CALIFORNIA, CREAM.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,

Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

FRENCH TOBACCO AND

CIGARRETTES.

A large quantity of

in Pints of 100 bottles per Case.

CORK STOPPERS.

for Soda and other Bottles.

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AN ASSORTMENT OF CLARETS

In Bottles and Wood.

CHATEAU LAFFITTE.

ST. EMILION. MEDOC.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

AN ASSORTMENT OF WINES.

SAUTERNE. PORTO. SHERRY.

MARSALA.

H. -FOURNIER & Co.,

Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

A SHIPMENT OF BRANDY.

FRENCH COGNAC and ABSINTHE.

H. FOURNIER & Co.,

Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

CHARTREUSE (Pints and Quarts).

BENEDICTINE (Pints and Quarts)

Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

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SAUSAGES (Assorted).

2 lbs. Tins).

LI'ONS SAUSAGES.

ΓΙ. HAVE JUST RECEIVED

ANCHOVIES in Oil. CAVIAR.

FOURNIER AND. COMPANY

SARDINES in Tomatas.

FOURNIER AND COMPANY

FRENCH'S SPANISH OLIVES.

SARDINE'S in Oil.

FOURNIER AND COMPANY

CHOCOLATE MENIER.

SIRUPS (Assorted).

" FANCE GOODS,

FRENCH MAIL STEAMER

CHOCOLATE CREAM.

THE CITY OF LONDON FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL £2,000,000; PAID-UP£200,000. PAID UP RESERVE FUND£50,000.

The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. · GEO, R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, 14th March, 1882. THE SOUTH BRETISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND,

CAPITAL, L1,000,000 (One Million Sterling). Unlimited Liability of Shareholders.

The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT FIRE and MARINE RISKS at Current Rates, allowing usual discounts.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, 14th March, 1882. TANGTSZE INSURANCE

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up)Tls. 420,000.00 PERMANENT RESERVE Tls. 230,000,00 SPECIAL RESERVE FUND...Tls. 288,936.17

TOTAL CAPITAL and) April, 1881.

DIRECTORS. F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman. M. W. BOYD, Esq. WM. MEYERINK, Esq. J. H. PINCKVOSS, Esq. F. D. HITCH, Esq.

Messrs. RUSSELL & Co., secretaries. LONDON BRANCH.

HEAD OFFICE -SHANGHAL

Bankers. RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent,

proportion to the premia paid by them. RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 23rd January, 1882. NOTICE,

(CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000.)

payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN,

HEAD OFFICE, 'No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hongkong, 1st February, 1882.

SOCIETÉ ANONYME D'ASSURANCE MARITIME MARSEILLE.

CAPITAL, SUBSCRIBED 15,000,000 Francs, CAPITAL PAID-UP 3,750,000 Francs.

AGENTS of the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World.

CENTRAL, ALSO, No. 4, SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE. Apply to

Hongkong, 25th March, 1882. TO BE LET,

FROM THE IST APRIL, 1882, THAT LARGE and COMMODIOUS HOUSE, No. 8, ARBUTHNOT ROAD, at present in the occupation of Mr. J. D. HUTCHISON. Apply to

Hongkong, 9th March, 1882.

Intimations.

of UNDERWRITERS. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO. Hongkong, 15th June, 1881.

PORTER.

DAVID CORSAR & SONS' MERCHANT NAVY NAVY BOILED CANVAS. LONG FLAX CROWN

ARNOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 15th June, 1881.

DECORD of AMERICAN and FOREIGN SHIPPING. Agents,

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Tangkong, 15th June, 1881.

CONCKONG TIMBER YARD, WANCHAI.

OREGON PINE SPARS AND LUMBER ALWAYS ON HAND. L. MALLORY, Hongkong, 24th June, 1881.

ASSOCIATION.

Messrs. BARING BROTHERS & Co.

68 and 69, Combill, E.C. POLICES granted on MARINE RISKS to all

parts of the World. Subject to a charge of 12 per cent, for Interest on shareholders' Capital, all the Profits of the UNDERWRITING BUSINESS are annually distributed among all Contributors of Business in-

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world

Secretary. ,

E CERCLE-TRANSPORTS. ASSORTED PERFUMERY FROM PINAUDIAND PIVERT OF PARIS. FRENCH MINERAL WATERS

The Undersigned, having been appointed ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 15th June, 1881.

To be Let.

TO LET.

FFICES IN No. 13, QUEEN'S ROAD

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

J. A. CARVALHO.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AN ASSORTMENT OF LIQUEURS. AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD

MARASCHINO. CURACAO. ANISETTE (Marie Brigard). AND R. TENNENT'S ALE AND ANGOSTURA BITTERS.

BOKER'S BITTERS KIRSCHWASSER. PEPPERMINT. VERMOUTH (Noily Prat). VERMOUTH (Turino).

FOURNIER AND COMPANY HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE STOCK OF FANCY SILK UMBRELLAS.

H. FOURNIER & Co., Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets.

FOURNIER AND COMPANY HAVE JUST RECEIVED A VARIETY OF OTHER GOODS. H. FOURNIER & Co., Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 22nd March, 1882.

Hongkong, 3rd April, 1882,

Entimations.

MUSIC.

AVE FOR SALE, JUST RECEIVED, EX NEW DANCE MUSIC.

 COMIC SONGS.

Corner of D'Aguilar and Wellington-streets. FOURNIER AND COMPANY

NEW SONGS. Over the Garden Wall, G. D. Fox.

Ex "Glenorchy,"

White Victoria Dress Lawns in all qualities.

Black Paramattas, Cashmeres, and Merinos

Ladies French Shoes in every size.

New Parasols and Umbrellas,

Silk and Wool Flannels.

Eno's Fruit Salt.

Atkinson' scents.

Brushes and Combs.

White Striped Dress Materials in large

SAFLE & COIS SHOWROOMS.

SAYLE &

A RE NOW SHOWING NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

Ex "FLEURS CASTLE." A splendid assortment of French and English Pompadour Prints and Sateens, New Patterns in French Percales.

Specialities in Damasses and Black Grena-Nun's Beiges and Veilings. Silk, Lisle Thread, & Cotton Hosiery in all sizes. Irish Linens and Diapers.

New Millinery. A choice selection of Flowers. Sewing Machine by the leading manufacturers.

N.B.-A few REMNANTS and TOYS left, over from the Sale still on offer at greatly REDUCED PRICES. VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.

ECA DA SILVA & CO.

HAVE JUST LANDED,

Ex French Mail Steamer "Sagnalien."

GREAT VARIETY AND FINE ASSORTMENT OF SUMMER GOODS, COMPRISING:—

Ladies Richly Trimmed Pongee Silk Costumes, Satin, Linen, and Cambric Costumes, Ready-made Dresses, Lace and Silk Fichus, Cravats, Dressing Gowns, Fine Silk Hose, &c., &c., &c.

Ladies Elegantly Trimmed Parisian Straw Hats and Bonnets, Children's and Babies' FINE-GROUND MOCHA COFFEE. Hats and Caps, in Great Variety. Gentlemen's Parisian Straw and Panama Hats, French Felt Hats, Light Summer FOURNIER AND COMPANY Tweed in Pieces for Pants, White and Coloured Linen Drill, Pieces of Touch Cord

for Vests, Canvas Shoes, Silk Umbrellas, &c., &c. Oriza's and Penaud's Perfumery in Great Variety, Elegant 3 Sides French Mirrors. Vienna Cigar and Cigarrette Cases, Visiting Card Cases, Portmonnaies, Albums, Needle Cases, Needles, Ladies Work Boxes,

> ECA DA SILVA & Co., 48, Queen's ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, April 3rd, 1882.

Amusements.

THEATRE

CITY HALL, HONGKONG. UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR,

HIS EXCELLENCY GENERAL DONOVAN. ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.

THE SECOND PERFORMANCE OF THE SECOND SUBSCRIPTION SERIES OF SIX OPERAS WILL BE GIVEN.

THIS EVENING 8TH APRIL, 1882, when will be produced

ROSSINI'S POPULAR OPERA. "IL BARBIERE DI SIVIGLIA." DRAMATIS PERSONÆ.

IL CONTE D'ALMAVIVASignor VANZETTI. DOTTORE BARTOLOsignor CORTI. ROSINAsignora Silini. FIGARO, BARBIEREsignor Ciocci. FIORELLO......Signor BRUNETTI. BERTASignora BERTOLINI.

To be followed by "SAFFO."

"L'ELISIR D'AMORE." "POLIUTO."

The Subscription List is now open at Messrs KELLY & WALSH'S. SUBSCRIPTION PRICES.

FAMILY TICKETS.—Admitting 3 Persons, 6 Nights\$30.00 SINGLE TICKET.—Admitting 1 Person, 6 Nights\$14.00 STALLS.—For 3 Persons, 6 Nights\$20.00 STALLS.—For 1 Person, 6 Nights\$10.00

"FAUST.

PRICES OF ADMISSION: Dress Circle\$3.00. Stalls\$2.00. Pit\$1.00. Tickets may be obtained at Messrs. Kelly &

WALSH, and at the Doors on the night of the Performance. Doors open at 8.30 P.M., Performance to commence at 9 P.M. sharp.

Ladies unaccompanied by Gentlemen cannot be admitted. A. HÖFLICH, Director and Manager.

Amusements. CELEBRATED CANADIAN BLONDIN.

THE CHAMPION BICYCLE PERFORMER

OF THE WORLD, who for the last few years has been the dazzling wonder of thousands of Spectators and the Marvel of the Press. Will have the honour of introducing to the Public

of this City an entirely new and original PERFORMANCE. In the large Pavilion crected at the corner of ABERDEEN STREET AND HOLLYWOOD ROAD,

on the . 10TH, 11TH, AND 13TH APRIL, 1882. SENSATIONAL AND AERIAL

PERFORMANCES. Doors open at 8 P.M., commence at 9 o'clock.

Admission. First Class\$2.00. Second Class 1.00. Third Class 50 cents. Promenade 30 cents,

Tickets to be obtained at Messra, Kelly & WALSH's and at the Doors. Hongkong, 6th April, 1882.

NOTICE. CLONEL IKE AUSTIN'S. NEW AMERICAN

RIFLE RANGE, IS NOW OPEN AT THE UNITED CLUB, STAUNTON STREET, OPPOSITE THE UNION CHURCH, WHERE INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN ARE FREE OF

PRIZE SHOOTING, OPEN TO ALL AMATEUR RIFLE SHOTS.

A SPLENDID SOLID SILVER MEDAL

Manufactured by and now on exhibition at the store of Mr. JOHN NOBLE; QUEEN'S ROAD, Will be shot for, commencing on APRIL, 1st,

POPULAR PRICES.

FOUR SHOTS FOR 25 CENTS. The Gentleman making the highest score in TEN SHOTS to take the prize. Hongkong, 27th March, 1882.

Consignees.

UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

ANTONIO,

Captain Seaborne, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Yokohama, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-DAY, the 3rd instant. All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 12th instant, or they will not be recognised.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 3rd April, 1882.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE steamship

Captain T. s. Gardner, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignces of Cargo by her are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from

Cargo impeding her discharge or remaining on board after the 10th instant, will be landed and stored at Consignee's risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Consignees are hereby informed, that any claims must be made immediately, as none wi be entertained after the 12th instant.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, 3rd April, 1882.

Intimations.

BANK HOLIDAYS. I'N accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875, the Undermentioned Hanks will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on EAS-TER MONDAY, the 10th instant.

FOR THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, GEO. O. SCOTT, Manager, Hongkong. FOR THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON AND CHINA,

JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong FOR THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS-

TRALIA AND CHINA, T. H. WHITEHEAD, Sub-Manager, Hongkong.

FOR THE COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS, F. COCHINARD. FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION, G. E. NOBLE, Per Chief Manager. Hongkong, 6th April, 1882.

NIORTH CHINA INSURANCE

COMPANY. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. The Eighth Ordinary GENERAL MEET-

ING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held on FRIDAY the fourteenth day of April, at 2.30 P.M., at the Head Office, shanghai, for presentation of the half-yearly Report and Accounts to the 31st December last; the election of Directors and Auditors; and Declaration of Dividends for the year 1881. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will

be CLOSED from the 1st to 14th April, both days inclusive. By Order of the Court of Directors, HERBERT S. MORRIS.

Secretary. Shanghai, 1st April, 1882. FOR SALE.

MENUINE PORT M. DE SOUZA GUEDES' WELL KNOWN BRANDS. BLACK LABEL, with 3 Grapes, per Case of 1 Dozen Quarts \$18. BLACK LABEL, with 2 Grapes, per Case of

1 Dozen Quarts\$161. WHITE LABEL, per Case of 1 Dozen Quarts. \$12. at Messrs. Russell & Co's. Hongkong, 6th April, 1882.

THE ORIENTAL TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED. CONNECTED WITH THE GREAT NORTHERN

TELEGRAPH COMPANY. TIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR 11 having been pleased, under date of 11th February last, to grant ALEXANDER GRAHAM BELL of Washington and THOMAS ALVA EDISON of New Jersey "LETTERS PATENT" for their TELEPHONIC INVENTIONS in this Colony, and the said Letters Patent being held by the above Companies (as their Agents), the Public of Hong-kong are hereby notified that the above-named Companies Claim the sole right of Introducing or selling or Making public use of the said two Patentees' Inventions or any other Telephonic Instruments based upon or being an Improvement of their Inventions.

A. SUENSON. Superintendent. Hongkong, April 3rd, 1882. X JANTED, EMPLOYMENT by a young

VV Man, as an Assistant in a MERCANTILE OFFICE, or any other Establishment. salary 1882, and closing on the evening of APRIL 15th, Moderate. Address "J. J. B.," care of Office of in London and Sydney. this Paper. Hongkong, 13th March, 1882.

> HOUSE AND LAND BROKER, No. 33. Wellington-street, Honorono. [145] Hongkong, 23rd January, 1882

Shipping.

OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE;

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship ARABICwill be despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama, on THURSDAY, 13th April, at THREE P.M., and be followed by the Company's steamers "OCEANIC," on Tuesday, May the 2nd, and

"Corric," on Tuesday, May the 9th. Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until Five P.M. the day pre-

vious to sailing. A REDUCTION of 25 per cent, made on all RETURN PASSAGE ORDERS issued. Consular Invoices to accompany Overland, Mexican, Central, and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Fran-

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. CHAS. H. HASWELL, JUN.,

Hongkong, 6th April, 1882.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE At American Barque JAS. A. BORLAND, Captain J. H. Kent, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 4th April, 1882. FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L. 1. 1. American Barquentine NELLY M. SLADE, D. Gould, Master, will load for the above Port, and have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 9th March, 1882.

FOR LONDON (DIRECT.) THE *AA 1. British Iron Bark ENDYMION. Captain T. Richardson, will load for the above

Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 23rd March, 1882.

FOR HAVRE AND LONDON. HE At British Bark LUCIA. C. Crowley, Master, will load for the above Ports and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 24th February, 1882. FOR VICTORIA, VANCOUVER'S

THE American Ship SUMATRA. Rock, Master, will load here for the above Port,

ISLAND.

and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 13th February, 1882.

FOR PORTLAND (OREGON). THE 3/3 L. I. I. German ship Lankenan, Master, will load here for the above

Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, 16th February, 1882.

Intimations. ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY. WING to the Company's unprecedented

SECOND SERIES SUBSCRIPTION OPERAS has been arranged. The series will include—

"Lucrezia Borgia." "SAFFO," "IL BARBIERE DI SIVIGLIA." "L'ELISIR D'AMORE."

"Poliuto." "FAUST." The Subscription List is NOW OPEN at Messrs.

KELLY & WALSHS. Hongkong, 28th March, 1882. NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. H, C. LUBECK in Our Firm Ceased from the 28th February last. DE SOUZA & Co. Hongkong, 3rd April, 1882.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL. FRASER-SMITH, PUDLIC IX. ACCOUNTANT, ARBRITRATOR, AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,

All kinds of Commission Business executed. on the most reasonable terms ... special Agents.

has THIS DAY Removed to No. 6, Peddar's Hill.

Balance sheets drawn out; Books balanced and audited, and every description of Accountant's Work undertaken. Charges strictly moderate, and perfect accuracy guaranteed. Office Hours : Nine till Four

Hongkong, and January, 1882,

Entimations.

A. S. WATSON & CO. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL! GENERAL CHEMISTS,

Manufacturers of the following AERATED viz:

SODA, TONIC, SARSAPARILLA AND POTASH, LEMONADE, GINGERADE, RASPBERRYADE, AND PHOSPHORIC CHAMPAGNE.

Deliveries in Town and Harbour from 7 A.M. to 7 P.M.

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Prompt Attention given to Coast Orders.

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NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

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Editor" and not to individual members of the Communications intended for publication must be accompanied by the name and address of the

evidence of good faith. Whilst the columns of the Hongkong Tele-

graph will always be open for the fair discussion by correspondents of all questions affecting public | the same privilege - such as it is - extended interests, it must be distinctly understood that the Editor does not in any way hold himself responsible for opinions thus expressed. TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers are requested to forward all notices intended for insertion in that day's issue not later

early publication of the paper. TO SUBSCRIBERS. Arrangements have been made to publish The Hongkong Telegraph daily at 4 P.M. Sub-

scribers in the central districts who do not receive

their copies before FIVE O'CLOCK will oblige by

at once communicating with the Manager.

Hongkong, Saturday, April 8, 1882.

secontemporary, referring to some delay in | for the stage. Her father, who was somepublishing Reuter's telegrams of the, 4th inst. observes that by an oversight these messages were not forwarded to the Daily Press office on the preceding day. We might also make the same complaint. The telegrams in question were not forwarded to this office; in fact. Reuter's telegrams' are never by any chance sent to the Hongkong Telegraph, and under all circumstances, we consider we have a perfect right to grumble at what is apparently unjustifiable neglect. We have always hadto search for our telegraphic news; either from some friendly disposed and obliging member of the Chamber of Commerce, or in one of operatic students in Foley-street, Portland- him lying drunk in Queen's Road at 11 a.m. yesthe public departments of the Government.

Recently the telegrams have been unusually late in arriving here, or there has been, what appears to us, an unnecessary delay in having them circulated throughout the colony. In consequence of this we have been at times prevented from publishing them in that day's issue, which is | very unsatisfactory to ourselves and the public generally. We do not know who must be held responsible for this, but in | any case it is a matter of such great public interest that we feel justified in calling the attention of Reuter's Agent to what is certainly a grievance which ought to be at once remedied. As the news telegraphed is invariably at least one day old when it | tion, as he tells us, "sing at sight with reaches Hongkong, with ordinary care all perfect correctness whenever she could messages should arrive before noon, and | obtain a close view of the score." It was be circulated within one hour after receipt, about that time-she being then in her the first copies being sent to the public | fourteenth year—that she appeared in connewspapers,

some kind of an idea that the Daily Press and China Mail have a greater right or claim to publish Reuter's telegrams than Opera, where she played and sang in the Telegraph. We believe that our contemporaries once paid the magnificent sum of \$10 per month for the right of publishing | Signor Guellino, the composer, was dethe messages wired by the enterprising sirous of engaging her as the prima donna Baron. Perhaps they still subscribe the at that house, but, he adds, "her timidity above amount for the very doubtful prid and insufficiency in the Italian language vilege we have just named! We are not were the cause of my declining the engageon the list of subscribers, nor under pre- ment." A substitute for CATALANI who had sent existing circumstances have we any not yet attained her sixteenth year is not intention of privately subscribing to an in- easily to be conceived; but these statestitution which is the common property of the Hongkong public. As representatives mained uncontradicted, Nevertheless, Miss of the public, and as members of the com-STEPHENS's friends seem to have thought munity and taxpayers, we claim the right | it advisable that she should continue her to be supplied with what is admittedly pu- studies .under another instructor-Mr.

past extended to our contemporaries are accorded to us in the future, we shall respectfully request His Excellency the An-MINISTRATOR to take action in the matter.

dated January 24th, 1882, Governor Henwe would not otherwise get in Hongkong."

graphic information of general interest, obtainable. With the question as to whether we get value for our money we need public interest, a right to have all telegrams they are received, otherwise we maintain that \$1,000 of public money is being subscribed under pretences which the Secretary of State has not had clearly [explained to him, and which cannot justify the expenditure of the revenue of this the public, subscribes a similar amount to that which gives the members of the writers, not necessarily for publication; but as | Chamber of Commerce the privilege of receiving a copy of all telegrams, we claim as a public representative to have to all the newspapers in this colony whether English or Chinese, so that the news may be published without the slightest delay.

THE once brilliant same of the Dowager than THREE O'CLOCK so as not to retard the Countess of Essex-better known to the News, belongs to a period now so remote that probably most persons who read the announcement of the death of this celebraimpression that she had long since passed 1794, and was therefore in her 88th year; seventy years ago rival professors were contending in the public papers for the what vaguely described as "a carver and gilder in this busy metropolis," but whom the more courtly compilers of Peerages describe as "Edward Stephens, Esq., of Leadwell, Oxon," had two daughters remarkable for their musical talents. The elder Miss Sternens-afterwards Mrs. J. SMITH—had already attained some distinction as an actress and singer, and was engaged at Drury Lane about the time when her sister Catherine, who was destined to become far more famous, was placed as an articled pupil with Gestalno Lanza, who place. Here, as Lanza proudly boasted, "she studied from my theory, the elements of singing for five years, and I prepared her for the stage, affording her the instructions of Mr. WRIGHT in elecution out of my own pocket." It may be inferred that Lanza's system was to give instruction to promising pupils -children of parents of humble means-in the hope of finding his reward in the early development of their talents as concert and operatic singers. If so, he could hardly have found a more satisfactory apprentice than little CATHE-RINE STEPHENS, who, though the misfortune of her being near-sighted caused some delay, could after two years' instruccerts at Bath, Bristol, Margate, Tunbridge There appears to exist in certain circles | Wells, and numerous other towns-generally under the name of Miss Youngand finally at the Pantheon and the Italian small parts. It is even affirmed by LANZA that in the absence of Madame CATALANI,

ments were published at the time, and re-

said to have been fortunate enough to loon Docks this morning. secure for himself one-half the high salary her under an engagement at Covent In a despatch to the Earl of Kimberley, Garden. It was, in fact, her deal at the is sending reinforcements to Tripoli. latter house on the 23rd of September, nessy in replying to an enquiry from the 1813, which first brought her fame in the of the Buffs, the Band of the Regiment will play Secretary of State observes: "The small strict sense of the word. The part chosen at the Hongkong schools Athletic sports on sum voted as subscription to Reuter's tele- for her was Mandane in Dr. Arne's grams has been regularly sanctioned by Artaxerves, which was quickly followed by my predecessor and myself after the ap- | Polly in The Beggar's Opera, Glara in The proval of the vote by the Finance Com- Duema, and other parts. Only a fortnight mittee of the Legislative Council, and on after her first appearance Hazlitt wrote in at 7.30 for 8 o'clock; visiting brethern are, as condition that the Chamber of Commerce | the Evapoiner: "Miss Stephens becomes contribute a subscription to an equal more and more a favourite of the public. amount. This very moderate subsidy Her singing is delicious; but, admired as it enables the public to obtain some tele- is, it is not admired as it ought to be. Oh, graphic information of general interest that | if she had been wafted to us from Italy! A voice more sweet, varied, and flexible The sum of one thousand dollars per was perhaps never heard upon the English annum of public money is paid by the Go- | stage." He adds: "We doubt whether vernment for Reuter's telegrams, or as Catalani could give the ballad style of Governor Hennessy very plainly puts it, to the songs in Artanerwes-simple but enable the public to obtain some tele- elegant, chaste but full of expression -with equal purity, taste, and tenderthat without this subscription would not be | ness." As regards her acting, Leigh' Hunt, one of the best of critics of her time, describing her Polly, speaks of its "beautinot deal at present; but we claim in the ful repose; the irresistible way in which she condescends to beseech support when forwarded to us for publication immediately | She might extort reluctant wonder, and the graceful awkwardness and naïveté of hermanner, more captivating than the most

finished elegance, completing the charm of her singing." The writers, indeed, who have borne testimony to the singular charm both of her singing and acting are neither colony. As the Government, on behalf of | few nor undistinguished. MACREADY, who | often performed with her in those days, when serious and romantic dramas were sometimes made to include "singing parts," has frequent allusions to her, all of which are marked with affectionate admiration. 'Her voice," he tells us, "was of the most exquisite sweetness and extraordinary compass; there was occasional archness and humour in her comic scenes -always intelligence; and, combined with an almost rustic or child-like simplicity, a correctness of judgment that never deserted her." world as Miss Stephens—says the Daily the same passage he speaks of "the joyous eagerness" with which "frequenters of the theatre used to welcome her, as she nightly appeared before them." Miss ted vocalist and actress had been under the | Stephens has been described as "about the medium height of her sex, with dark away. She was born, if early memoirs | hair and eyes, and a countenance which [may be trusted, on the 18th-of September, though fascinating was not, strictly speaking, handsome." MACREADY speaks of "ce but even this date does not seem to carry petit nez troussé." She was much resus back into the past as does the fact that pected, and was a welcome guest in fashionable circles for many years before her marriage with George, fifth Earl of In its issue of the 7th inst. our morning | honour of having shared in her training | Essex, which took place on the 19th of | become un fait accompli. April, 1838, and, as contemporary records add. "by special licence at his lordship's house in Belgrave-square." This was, we believe, the house-No. 9-in which her ladyship had long lived in comparative

> JOSEPH MAXWELL, of Australia, printer, who may justly be termed the "incorrigible," figured again before the Magistrate, this morning on the appears to have kept a sort of academy for old charge, Police Constable Grieve having found terday. It is only a few days since the Magistrate gave him his last chance, Captain Thomsett then telling him that if he came up again he would send him to prison whatever promises he might make. The same Magistrate sent him this morning to three months' hard labour.

retirement, and where she expired. Lord

Essex, who at the time of his marriage had

been a widower only two months, was nearly

forty years older than his second wife; and

he died in April of the following year.

THE boatswain and seven seamen, all Chinese, o the British barque Three Brothers, were charged | also sent to the hospital. this morning before Captain Thomsett, sitting as Marine Magistrate, with refusal of duty on board on the 14th March in Quin Hon harbour. The master said the defendants disobeyed his-orders and compelled him to advance them a month wages. The boatswain was the leader in th affair. He shipped them at swatow. Defendants said they had no-money and wanted some, and having expressed their willingness to return to duty, and the master not wishing to press hardly on them, Captain Thomsett discharged

them on condition of their behaving themselves CHUN FUK, a boatman unemployed, was charged this morning before Captain Thomsett with being in unlawful possession of a blanket, a pair of trousers, and a jacket on the 7th instant. Constable Butline saw the prisoner going Police said it contained his own clothing. Doubting to be allowed to look at the contents, when the defendant threw the bundle at him and took to his heels. Determined not to let his quarry overtook the defendant; who, on his way to the station, threw something into a house under repair, where the constable found this morning on scarching, a bad half dollar lying in the rubbish, whether any clothing had been missed, and discovered that the blanket, trousers and jacket belonged to a corporal and a gunner in the Royal six previous convictions against him the Magistrate committed the case for trial at the Supreme blic property, and unless the same pri- Thomas Welch-who appears to have Court.

vileges that appear to have been in the been also an organizer of concerts, and is THE spanish steamer Julieta went over to Kow-

A REUTER'S telegram received this morning anwhich he was finally enabled to obtain for | nounces that the Porte, having some doubts about the French policy in the North of Africa,

> By kind permission of the Colonel and Officers Tuesday next from 3 o'clock until 5.

THE regular monthly meeting of the United service Lodge, No. 1341, E.C., will be held this evening at the Freemason's Hall, Zetland Street usual, cordially invited to attend.

WE hear that Lieutenant-General and Mrs. Donovan take their departure from this by the French Mail on Monday. The General, we understand, books only as far as Singapore, where he purposes remaining for a short time prior to proceeding to England.

WE learn by the courtesy of the Superintendent of the Great Northern Telegraph Company that the Chinese Government Overland Telegraph between Chinkiang and Nankin is now open for traffic. The charges are, from Chinkiang to Nankin 6 cents per word; and from Shanghai to Nankin 22 cents per word.

WE understand that arrangements are being made for a Military Athletic Meeting to be held on the Cricket Ground on Thursday next. Details of the programme have not reached us; but we are informed that in all probability there will be an Open Quarter Mile Race, for which members of the various Athletic Clubs in the Colony will be eligible to compete.

THE remanded case of attempting to smuggle 47 men on board the P. & O. steamer Decean on the 4th instant, came on again this morning before Mr. Wodehouse. Mr. Stokes, of the firm of sharp. Toller and Johnson, appeared on behalf of the prosecution, and applied for a further remand. The Magistrate remanded the case till Wednesday next at eleven o'clock. The defendants were allowed out on bail of one surety of fifty dollars each, or one fourth of the amount of previous bail.

WE, Shanghai Courier, hear that a collision, which at one time appeared to be of a very serious nature this morning occurred through the leaving of the Kiang Kwan from the Kin-le-yuen Wharf, and her drifting on to the Patroclus. The only damage done was to one of the paddleboxes of the Kiang Kwan, which caught the stern of the "Blue Funnel" boat, that was at her moorings. The strong current and wind which obtained at the time was the cause of the mishap. WE have good reasons for believing tha

the project now on foot to establish telegraphic communication between Hongkong and Macao will shortly assume a definite form. It is reported that both our local companies are willing to undertake to lay the cable under certain conditions. As the cost of the entire undertaking will amount to comparatively little, and as it is very influentially supported amongst the Portuguese, we

THE imprudence of placing confidence in Ch nese servants, however long they may have been in one's service, and however apparently honest, received further illustration at the Police Court this morning. Mr. Liddell's, the superintendent of the Kowloon Docks, boy, who had been tenyears in his service, and was implicitly trusted by him, has been proved to have been in the habit of robbing his master for a considerable time. The details of the case, which was remanded, will be found elsewhere.

YESTERDAY afternoon the lighthouse keeper on Green Island discovered a small sampan high and dry on the beach, near the landing place, a dead man's feet protruding from the boat. The body, which was that of an old Chinaman who lived apparently by picking up garbage, &c. in the harbour, was taken to the Civil hospital. It bore no marks of injury, and death would appear to have resulted from natural causes. The body presented a very dried-up, shrivelled appearance and seemed to be that of an opium smoker. The dead body of a child wrapped up in a cloth, was also found on the beach there, further on, and was

WE carnestly recommend, says the Japan IVeckly Mail, to the perusal of the Hochi Shimbun and of all the so-called "Progressionists" whose chief organ that journal professes to be, a letter from "Foreign Capitalist," which will be found in our correspondence columns. There are times when Japan's best friends-friends who refuse to take serious umbrage at any of the wild utterances ventilated by the Hochi Slimbun and its fellow thinkers—throw up their hands in despair over her prospects and ask themselves whether it can really be true that on the very threshold of political liberty, party spirit and party intrigue are powerful enough to make men utterly blind to the best interests of their country. We are no longer in any doubt as to the Radical programme. It is a programme that appeals to all the selfish symarm. He asked him what he had in it, and he be restored to a portion at least of their sometime affluence; to the military, whose numbers are to the correctness of this, the constable asked be largely increased and who are to be regarded as the chief factor of their country's greatness; to the people, who are promised an immediate share in the management of their own affairs; thus escape him, the constable gave chase and to the priests, who are told that Christianity that justly denounced by "Foreign Capitalist"

THE P. & O. Co's steamer Gwalior with the next English Mail left Singapore for Hongkong on Friday the 7th inst. at 9 a.m.

THE Revenue Cruiser Ling Feng, Captain Farrow, arrrived yesterday from Takao and went into the Amoy Dock to-day. - Gazette.

REUTER wires that the Government has demanded the suspension of the Channel Tunnel pending the military report of the Committee of Inquiry:

A LONDON telegram of the 5th inst. states that the President of the United States has vetoed the bill for the exclusion of Chinese from New York. WE learn that Major Hamilton of the Buffs, Inte

Acting Assistant Military Secretary to General

Donovan, has been appointed Aide-de-Camp to

His Excellency the Administrator. THE Messageries Maritimes Co.'s str. Djennah with the incoming French mail left saigon on Thursday the 6th inst. at 3 p.m. and passed Cape St. James's the same evening at eight o'clock.

In the House of Commons on April 4th the Premier made a statement concerning the situation in Ireland describing it as unparalleled in the last fifty years; he stated that the Government appreciated the danger but would choose its own time for making fresh proposals to the House.

THE Japan Gazette hears from good authority that the terminus of the Mitsu Bishi Mail steamship Company's steamers on the Hongkong line will in future be at Kobe. The route will now be Hongkong, Nagasaki and Kobe. This was spoken of at the close of last year but was vetoed by the

A class is about to be formed on board her Majesty's ship Excellent for the purpose of enabling subaltern officers of Royal Marine Light Infantiy to qualify for the appointment of Assistant Gunnery Instructors at the Marine divi- | fish and lobsters, and one turtle were liberated, the sions. The class is expected to assemble on the 6th proximo.

THE Agent of the Messageries Maritimes Co. inforned us on Thursday afternoon that the steamer Saghalien arrived in shanghai on Tuesday, the 4th instant, at 2 o'clock p.m. It would therefore appear that the delay off Hieshan, alluded to in our last issue, could only have been of a temporary character.

THE Pope has addressed a letter to the Archbishops and Bishops of Italy, painting in the darkest colours the spiritual depravity of the country, and urging them as an antidote to promote the formation of Catholic associations, the establishment and diffusion of Catholic journals, and to devote special care to the training of the young

Russia has at last, says the Standard, shown her hand in her negotiations with the Vatican, she requires, as the price of peace and liberty for the Church in Poland, that the Church shall no more pretend to the called national, and that the Pontiff shall use religious sentiment to foster and promote Slavism. It is not likely that such pretensions will be admitted.

WE note, says the Amoy Gazette of the 1st inst., the departure to-day by the steamship Thales cannot doubt that the proposed line will soon for Hongkong of Señor Don Thomas Lozano, spanish Consul General at this port, en route to Europe on furlough. We hear that señor Don Antolin Pita y Cazames, Vice-Consul, remains in charge of the Consulate General.

AT the instance of Major-General Burnaby, the War Office is just now considering the advisadrill period allowed by law, and arranging that shall be mingled with the troops now serving in the line. This idea of proving the reality of the Reserve is received with high favour in military

Ar a convocation of Victoria Chapter No. 525. held on the 6th instant the following officers were elected and installed for the ensuing year:-

Ex. Comp. W. M. B. Arthur. D. Sayle, W. Adnams. Comp. P. Jordan. Scribe E. Principal sojourner. Comp. G. Orley. " ... Jas. Cradock. "...T.M.Leatherbarrow. and Assistant . " ...J. Grimble.

A GREAT many people have imbibed the strange idea that a person who has anything to do, or is in any way connected with horses, must be set down as a professor of roguery. Even men who ought to know better are not free from this absurd prejudice. We read in a home paper that the well known Mr. Commissioner Kerr in referring to a horse-coping case said:—"This is the old, old story. Whenever a man has anything to do with a horse he gets thoroughly demoralised, and has no regard for truth or honesty." Our contemporary commenting on these remarks of the learned Commissioner observes: -We begato take exception to this wholesale condemnation. We could point to a hundred gentlemen who occupy a position as high as that held by the worthy Commissioner, and yet the men have not become thoroughly demoralised, though they have "to do with horses."

along Hollywood Road with a bundle under his pathies of all classes—to the Shizoku, who are to We observe in a London contemporary that a country newspaper has been suggesting that it | sharp instrument. His wife rowed the boat back would be a happy thing to re-creet the old Eddystone Lighthouse on the Victoria Embankment | ing unable to lend any assistance in consequence as a companion to Cleopatra's Needle. It may reasonably be presumed that the said provincial journal knows nothing whatever of the Thames | cruising about near the place on the night of the Embankment. Any one who has seen Cleopashall be interdicted and Buddhism restored to its tra's Needle would not wish to look upon another, police boat had left its beat that night, and that old supremacy, and to the whole nation, which I talone the Eddystone Lighthouse. The needle, I the men had been all severely punished. Mr. is assured that speedy measures will be taken to as it at present stands, with a couple of fabulous | Wodehouse also made enquiries as to the inrestrain the imperious aliens' aggression and to beasts turning their tails towards it, is a sorrow- formation upon which the prisoners had been The constable enquired at the Barracks as to recover for Japan a multitude of shadowy rights ful sight. What the embankment would look arrested, and asked about the informer. Le which she is supposed to have forfeited. It will like if the Eddystone Lighthouse were added we spector Perry said the informer's life would in be an evil day for Japan when the framers of dare not conjecture. It is evident however, that be worth much if he came forward publicly, that this programme find themselves in a position to if certain persons had their way we should soon he would be murdered; and in reply to Mr. Artillery, who came forward to-day and identified | carry it out; when the only route along which | have the embankment turned into a hideous them. Prisoner admitted the charge. There being the country can advance to affluence and con- museum. Might we suggest in retaliation, adds informer was himself one of the attacking partysideration—the route of foreign commerce—is our contemporary, that the "griffin" should be Mr. Wodehouse not being satisfied with the effectually closed by an insane policy such as taken down, and transferred to the top of the evidence adduced, said he would further remand Cheviot Hills.

WE hear that, in addition to the Regimental sports of the Buffs to be held, on Thursday next the Royal Artillery have it in contemplation to have independent sports of their own later on.

WE regret to hear of the death, last night, in the Naval Hospital, of Chief Petty Officer Keating, brother to Mr. James Keating of this city, who has been on this station for a considerable period. The deceased was a member of the "Craft" and was much respected amongst his messmates for his upright and manly character. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

WE would again direct attention to the Bazaar to be given by the Italian sisters at the Convent, Caine Road, on Monday next the 10th inst. 'The Bazaar will be opened at two o'clock, and as it is being held for a worthy object we trust it will receive the patronage of the whole community. The various articles contributed are unusually pretty, and should command an extensive sale. The Band of the Buffs, by kind permission of Colonel Parnell and the Officers of the Regiment, will attend and play a selection of music during the afternoon. The Italian Sisters carnestly solicit the support of the public, which for such a charitable object, we have no doubt will be forthcoming.

THE ways of the "Heathen Chinee" are indeed curious. A new style of paying respect to the 'dear departed" came under our observation yesterday. A Chinese gentleman created quite a sensation by purchasing the whole of the live fish in the Central Market and afterwards setting them adrift in their native element for the benefit of the souls of some of his ancestors, and to appease the water gods. It was a rather expensive game, as the fishmongers charged unusually high prices, owing to there being a big demand on account of Good Friday. However a very large quantity of latter being marked with appropriate characters.

THE remanded case in which Ng Aip, a servant on board the Iron Duke, is charged with stealing a diamond ring valued at \$40, the property of Tam Asing, a washerman, on the 1st instant, came on again this morning before Mr. Wodehouse. George Humphrey, Acting Inspector of Police, said he had made enquiries regarding the defendant. He had been on board the Iron Duke two months and had a good character from Commander Atkinson. He was discharged from the Albatross in December last for constantly going on shore without leave. He had borne a good character on other ships. The pawnbroker, on being recalled, said the defendant represented the ring to be his own, that he would redeem it on the 1st of the month, and that he got very good pay. The Magistrate sentenced the defendant to four months imprisonment with hard labour, and ordered the ring to be given up

A WATCHMAN, enjoying the euphonious cognomen of Koda Bux, the same individual whose namesake was recently sent to adurteen day's hard labour for taking liberties the his (the present desendant's) cabbages, was brought up this morning before Mr. Wodehouse charged with being asleep on duty at 2.30 a.m. yesterday. Defendant, who is employed by Mr. Dorabjee of the Hongkong Hotel, was found lying cosily asleep in his watch box by Police Constable Lyons, and, before the Magistrate this morning, proved himself to be possessed of a legal turn of mind, by demanding to know how it was, if he was asleep, the constable did not take his umbility of ordering out the Army Reserve for the | brella and stick in proof of the fact, and declared that he was sitting not sleeping. The Magisthe veteran soldiers who have quitted the colours | trate, who failed to perceive the pertinency of Koda's interrogatory, fined him fifty cents or three days' imprisonment.

> LI APAK, a hawker, was brought up this morning. before Mr. Wodehouse, charged with being a rogue and vagabond and acting as a watchman to gamblers. sikh Police Constable surdool singh observed eight or ten people gambling at the back of the Po Lok Theatre on the 6th. The defendant, who was standing near the Kun Yun Temple, immédiately he saw the Constable, called out, "A green clothes devil is coming," whereupon all the gamblers made tracks and escaped. Not so, however, the individual who had described the turbaned Punjaubee in such uncomplimentary terms. Him the sikh pursued with the fleetness characteristic of his race, bringing him up sharp, and lodging him in the station. The interesting fact having come to light that the defendant had previously served a term of six months' for entering a dwelling house by night, the Magistrate sentenced him to three months' imprisonment with hard labor.

THE remanded case in which five boatmen are charged with being concerned in the attack on a sampan in the harbour on the 28th March, came on again-before Mr.-Wodehouse to-day. The sampan-man, who has been discharged from Hospital, appeared and gave evidence as to the attack. He said one of the men selzed him by the neck and pressed his head down, face foremost, holding him in that position the whole time, so that he was unable to identify any of the attacking party. He also deposed to receiving wounds on the head and right forearm from some after the robbers left at Tsim Tsa Tsui, he beof his wounds and the beating he had received. Mr. Wodehouse enquired if no police boats were attack. Inspector Craddock said the Chinese Wodehouse said he could not say whether the the case until this evening.

LEVI WHITEHEAD, a gunner in the Royal Marine Artillery, serving on board the Iron Duke, was charged this morning before Mr. Wodehouse with stealing two bundles of cigars from a hawker on the 6th instant. Defendant, it appears, took the eigars from the hawker's basket and refused to pay for them, being at the time in liquor. When arrested by the Constable he said he had paid for the cigars, and offered him a half dollar to let him off. Defendant had a bottle of rum in his possession. Captain sutherland, a Captain in the Marine Artillery, on board the Iron Duke, appeared and gave the defendant a good character, and in reply to the Magistrate said he had never been convicted of larceny during his 12 years in the service. Defendant said he knew nothing of what had occurred. 20 cents to the hawker. Defendant, however, had a narrow escape of conviction on a charge that would have entailed not only disgrace but forfeiture of his twelve years' service, and we trust the lesson will not be thrown away upon-

TANG SING, a servant to Mr. Liddell, the superintendent of the Kowloon Docks, was charged this morning before Mr. Wodehouse with stealing a lot of articles, comprising lamps, napkins, handkerchiefs, spoons, a billiard ball, &c., &c., the property of his master on the 6th instant, at Hung Ham, in British Kowloon. Mr. Liddell deposed that on Tuesday morning last, about 10 o'clock he had occasion to send for his diamond ring, which he had put the night before on his dressing table in his cabin on the Chop in Kowloon Dock Bay, on which he resides, but the ring was not to be found. He immediately reported the matter to the police, and at the same time a European sergeant in the employ of the Dock Company came on board and instituted search for the ring, but was unable to find it. However, he found the ruler produced, which had been missing over two years. Defendant is his servant boy, and lives on board the Chop. He asked him where he got the ruler and he said he bought it from a hawker in Hongkong. Nothing else was found, but next morning a Police Constable went on board, having with duced. He can swear to one pocket handkerchief, the napkin ring, bagatelle ball, salt spoon, and the tin box of powder, but cannot say when he missed the things. Did not miss them within the last six months. He missed, the bagatelle ball three years ago. The defendant had been his boy for ten years, had free access to all his belongings, and was always implicitly trusted by him, so much so that, whenever he missed anything, he never put it down to the defendant. Other servants of his had access to the room room. He arrested the defendant and took him to the station. The prisoner asked no questions. The case was remanded till Thursday next at 10 o'clock.

"IL BARBIERE DI SITTGLIA!

Rossini's sparkling opera, which will be performed by the Italian Opera Company at the Theatre Royal, City Hall, this evening, was first produced at the Theatre Argentina, in Rome, at the Caraival of 1816, where it met with the greatest success. The favourable verdict obtained from the public on that occasion has been confirmed in every opera house throughout the world for more than half a century, and their can be little doubt that the popularity of "Il Barbiere" is ever on the increase. A short sketch of the argument will doubtless prove interesting. The scene is laid in Seville, the capital of Anda-

The Count Almaviva, desperately in love with Rosina, the ward of Doctor Bartolo, after serenading his mistress, encounters Figure, the Barber and factotum of the town, a meddling busy-body; to him the Count confesses his love, and they mutually plot for the purpose of bringing about the introduction of Almaviva to the maiden. Rosina is strictly watched by her guardian, Doctor Bartolo, who cherishes a desire of wedding his ward himself; in this design he is assisted by Basilio a music-master. Rosina returns the affection of the Count; in spite of the watchfulness of her guardian she contrives to convey a letter to him, declaring her passion, and her intention to break through her trammels, and at the same time requesting his name. To obtain an interview with his mistress, the Count disguises himself as a drunken soldier, and forces his way into Bartolo's house : Rosina has already been told by Figuro that the name of the Count is signor Lindor. The disguise of Almaviva is discovered by the Doctor the pretended soldier is placed under arrest, and the First Act concludes. In the second Act the Count again enters Bartolo's house, disguised as a music-master, pretending that he has been sent by Basilio to give a lesson in music, on account of the illness of the latter. To obtain the confidence of Bartolo, he produces Rosina's letter to himself, and offers to persuade Rosina that the letter has been given to him by a mistress of the Count, and thus to break off the connection between the two. He obtains the desired interview, which proceeds satisfactorily, and Figure manages to obtain the keys of the balcony, while at the same time an escape is determined on at midnight, and a private marriage arranged. In the meantime, Basilio himself makes his appearance, the lovers are disconcerted, and the Count makes his escape. Bartolo, who possesses the letter of Rosina, written to the Count, succeeds, by producing it, in exciting the jealousy of his ward, who, while under the influence of this feeling discloses the plan of escape which had n arranged, and agrees to marry her guardian, At the appointed time, Figure and the Count make their appearance; and, alter some confusion, the lovers are reconciled. A notary, procured by Bartolo, celebrates the marriage of the enamoured pair, and immediately afterwards the guardian enters, accompanied by the officers of justice, into whose hands he is about to consign

Figure and the Count, when mutual explana-

tions take place, and all parties are reconciled.

PROFESSOR RUCHWALDY AT THE CITY HALL.

Professor Bernhard Ruchwaldy, the well known Hungarian wizard, gave a farewell Magical and Musical performance in the Theatre Royal, City Hall, on the evening of Thursday last. We are exceedingly sorry to say that the audience was a very small one, and fear that the receipts taken at the door would not cover the Professor's expenses. The vagaries of public opinion are certainly incomprehensible. Professor Ruchwaldy has been in India for something like 22 years, and during that long period has been one of the most successful entertainers in that " jewel of the British Crown," His entertainment is, without exception, the best of its kind ever seen in this colony, and one of the eleverest and most amusing we have witnessed even in Europe. We are not fond of drawing comparisons between rival performers; but in the present instance we cannot avoid Mr. Wodehouse discharged him on his paying mentally comparing the legerdemain of Herr Ruchwaldy with that of our recent visitor Pro-fessor Anderson. The Hungarian, who was a pupil of the old Wizard of the North, is as far superior in his display of necromacy to the present bearer of the renowned name of Anderson, as Adelina Patti is as an operatic prima to the third rate artistes of a provincial opera house. And Professor Anderson performed to crowded houses whilst poor Ruchwaldy, who has just recovered from a long and severe illness, entertained "a beggarly array of empty benches." We must give the veteran wizard the greatest

praise for his courage in giving such a capital performance under most depressing circumstances. The majority of caterers for the public amusement, under similar auspices would have dismissed the scanty a udience, and declined to perform where a serious financial loss was certain. Not so Mr. Ruchwaldy, who, with his three exceedingly clever children, went through a most attractive programme in commendable style, eliciting frequent marks of warm approval. In the "Tercetto Chinois" the children showed abilities of a very high order, and deserved the applause they received. We need not again allude in detail to the Professor's legerdemain; but we may say that he introduced several new tricks, never before performed in this colony, and showed the eleverness of a most accomplished master of his art. To our way of thinking, however, the gem of the entertainment was a solo on the violin, the Carnival of Venice with variations, by Professor Ruchwaldy. The Professor is evidently an experienced musician, and a first rate violinist. He plays in excellent style, with good taste, and musical accuracy. His bowing and execution generally left little to be desired, and marked him all the property contained in the parcel pro- the thorough artiste. The solo was received with genuine applause, and we can only regret that our musical amateurs missed such a rare treat. The other items on the programme were gone through most satisfactorily in every respect and were evidently very highly appreciated by the few persons present.

HONGKONG C. C. v. THE BUFFS.

A match between the above named teams wa

noon yesterday. The weather was rather warm, have a stable full of griffins that do 1.31?" where the diamond ring was besides the defend- but in every respect favorable for the noble ant. He searched all the servants' quarters, but game. The attendance of spectators was not found nothing in any of them. Police Constable | very large when the stumps were pitched, but it McDonald deposed that about 3 p.m. on the 6th | gradually increased as the afternoon advanced he went to defendant's house in Hung Ham to | until the ground was surrounded by an immense make a search. He had defendant's permission, crowd, the soldiers of the garrison turning who, however, declined to accompany him out in great force, as is usually the case in there. He searched the defendant's room on the | Garrison v. Club matches. The Club, although | top floor, and in different boxes in the room found | playing a fairly powerful team, was hardly the things produced in Court. Defendant, in | so well represented as it might have been, and presence of Mr. Liddell, admitted having stolen | the Buffs certainly did not play their full strength. | the Taotal to waive the Government land tax on the powder box and puff. Mr. Liddell identified | Winning the toss the Club elected to take the the roads. We are under the impression that several of the things he found in defendant's | first.innings, Travers and Bell Irving, on a capital wicket, facing the attacks of Orrigan and much of a stand Irving leaving after coring four, understand that the meeting is likely to be postand Travers had just got into double figures when Orrigan got one past his bat. Davies was rather unfortunate, one of the ground coolies fielding substitute cleverly catching this hard hitter before he got well set; but when st. Croix and Newington became partners the soldiers had a rare dose of leather-hunting. Both batsmen played fine cricket the Marine scoring 26 in his very best form before being clean bowled by Orrigan; whilst St. Croix batted in his usual accomplished style, and hit with great freedom, obtaining 89 by as correct an exhibition of high class batting as we have seen for a long time, before succumbing to a good ball from Jenner. Whyte failed to come off, but Newcombe played very prettily for 25, and shepherd hit hard for 19 before being caught and bowled by Orrigan, leaving Barff to carry out his bat for 11. The total 215 was rather a formidable one, and as was anticipated, proved altogether beyond the strength of the Garrison team. Jenner and Lenchan were the first pair to represent The Buffs at the wickets, Travers and shepherd trundling for the Club. With the exception of Dr. White, who batted in first rate style for 39 no stand was made throughout the innings, not a single batsman, excepting the Doctor, reaching double figures. When the last wicket fell the total, including 15 extras, only reached 84. Being in a minority of 131 a follow-on was of course necessary, and at gunfire when the stumps were drawn for the day, the Buffs had, in their second attempt scored, 53 for one wicket, Lenchan and Pocock being "not out" with 13 and 9 repectively. When we mention that 22 out of the 53 were, "extras" some idea of the Club's wretched fielding may be imagined.

> ing at 11.30 sharp. We append full scores :--THE "BUFFS," SECOND INNINGS. PIRAT INNINGS. Sergeant Jenner, c Davies, b e Barff, b St. Croix, 9 Shepherd, Dr. White, c Irving, b Shepherd, 39

The match will be resumed on Monday morn-

L Bumbery, b Travers, La Jamett, run out,
Segt. Pocock, b Shepherd,
Pte. Hughesman, std. Whyte, b
Shepherd,
Pte. Orrigan, c' St. Croix, b

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

Mr. W. de St. Croix, b Jenner, 89 Captain Newington, b Orrigan, 26 Mr. H. F. Whyte, b Freeman, 6 Mr. Shepherd, c and b Orrigan, 19 Entre

HONGKONG SCHOOLS ATHLETIC SPORTS.

The following is the programme of events for the above meeting which will take place on Tuesday the 11th instant commencing at one o'clock :--

L.-LONG JUMP. -- Open to boys under 9 years of

HOP, STEP AND JUMP.—Open to boys between 9 and 13 years of age.

3 .-- LONG JUMP .-- Open to boys between 13 and 16 years of age. 4.—75 YARDS FLAT RACE.—Open to boys under O years of age.

-100 YARDS FLAT RACE -- Open to boys between 9 and 13 years of age. 6.—100 YARDS FLAT RACE.—Open to boys between 13 and 16 years of age. .-HIGH JUMP.-Open to boys between o and 13 years of age.

.-High Jump.- Open to boys between 13 and 16 years of age, 9-200 YARDS FLAT RACE, -- Open to boys, under 9 years of age.

10.-Quarter Mile Flat Race.- Open to boys between 9 and 13 years of age. 11. QUARTER MILE FLAT RACE. - Open to boys between 13 and 16, years of age.

12.—THROWING THE CRICKET BALL.—Open to boys between 9 and 13 years of age. 13.—Throwing the Cricket Ball.—Open to boys between 13 and 16 years of age. 14.—GIRLS' RACE.—120 yards handicap,

to all boys under 16 years of age. 16.—INFANT BOYS' RACE, 50 yards.—Open to boys under 6 years of age, 7.—INFANT GIRLS' RACE, 50 yards.—Open to

girls under 6 years of age. 18.—HURDLE RACE, 120 yards.—Open to boys between 9 and 13 years of age. 19.—HURDDE RACE, 120 yards.—Open to boys between 13 and 16 years of age. 20.—THREE-LEGGED RACE.

TUG OF WAR.

SHANGHAL.

Mr. Robert Hart, C.M.G. Inspector General of Customs, Mrs. Hart and family arrived yesterday from the North. The Inspector General will stop here about a fortnight; Mrs. Hart and the children

Mao Chang-Hsi, Vice President of the Board of War is dead. He was the chief of the Antiforeign party at Peking. He was a Honan man, Metropolitan Graduate of 1845, was Vice Governor of Peking in 1860, appointed to supreme Command of the troops, acting against the rebels, 1860. Was a Member of the Tseng-li Yamen, retired in mourning, June, 1878.

After the heavy rain, the training course was in very good order; the recent improvements seem to have given general satisfaction. There was no water on it; although it was of course sticky. It was preferred for training to the Sikiawei Road, and a great number of ponies were exercised; but there was nothing of interest to record. Mr. Ten Broeck has bought a dun griffin for a good figure, who has done 1.33; commenced on the Cricket Ground shortly before Why?" asks the ex-Jovial Farmer, "when you

The Consul for the Netherlands, Mr. J. J. Heemskerk, leaves to-morrow for a trip home. He received a visit from the Taotai to-day upon the occasion of the transfer of the affairs of H.N. Majesty's Consulate to the charge of Mr. Joseph Haas, Acting Consul for Austro-Hungary. Mr. Haas is now the consular representative of three sovereigns, viz; the Emperor of Austria, the King of Italy, and the King of Holland. We wish the popular representative of the Dutch

King, Mr. Heemskerk, bon voyage. The dean of the Consular body has summoned the tax on the outside roads was waived in the time of the late Taotai Foong, but we cannot find the dispatch at the moment. This question has Moss. Neither of these dangerous bassmen made | been discussed for a number of years. We poned on account of the Volunteer Inspection Parade.—Mercury.

TRAINING FOR SHANGHAI RACES.

The grass course was not open and 'eager' owners were disappointed of an opportunity of asking their griffins the question. But the training course was in good order and rather fast. A good deal of galloping went on, as a rule of the "steady training" order. Some of the gallops were done in fair time. Mr. Kremor sent along Red Hart for a mile with a light weight up to test the course; he did it in 2.9, so it may be considered a fairly fast course. We note some of the work: Prejudice went for 11m. canter in 3.30 doing the last quarter in 30secs, and giving a lesson to two griffins, a bay that finished well, and the gray who was beaten in the match, and was given to Mr. Ten Brocek in payment of the bet. Wild Dash, Wild Earl and some of the griffins in the stable went for a steady 12m, covering the distance in Wild Fang also did a steady gallop. A pow took place between Mr. Kremor's grey and two of Mr. Fungus', a black and grey; Mr. Kremor's won easily in spite of his swerving in the straight, Mr. Fungus' grey was distanced. A crowd of about ten ponies went for 11 m., and Moonstone came in a good first in 3.26; there was a very long tail. Mr. Troy's Kerosene-oil cream did 11m., weight up, in 2.551, his first three quarters 1.39. The fastest 3m. was Mr. Kremor's grey in 1.35; and a new stable's chestnut did 1,35%, the grey two lengths behind; Mr. Bill's did 1.37 for the best in the crowd. Mr. Ten Broeck sent three griffins, a chestnut, a spotted grey and a dun, for \$m., they did 1.43, going well within themselves. A black pony, belonging to a gentleman lately from the North West, proving too good for a hack, was sold for Tls. 350 (?and contingencies), we think to a recently successful Irish owner. It is supposed he has been highly tried, and 1.312 on the Road was given to us as his time; but it is, after all, the First of April -- Mercury.

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THE INDIAN MAIL. The Messageries Maritimes steamer Djennah, with the next French mail, left saigon on the 6th, and may be expected here on or about the 10th

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Commercial.

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Allason, Bangkok 31st March, General.siemssen & Co. April 6, BOTHWELL CASTLE, British str., 1,653, W. s. Thomson, san Francisco 7th March, Flour, &c.—Adamson, Bell & Co.

April 7, DIAMANTE, British steamer, 514, R. F. Cullen, Manila 4th April, General.-Russell

April 7, SALTEE, French steamer, 323, Biard, Hoihow 5th April, General.—Afong & Co. April 7, GLENFRUIN, British str., 1,935, Hogg, Saigon 4th April, Rice and Paddy.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

April 7, PING-ON, British steamer, 575, A. A. McCaslin, Haiphong 2nd April, Pakhoi 4th, Hoihow 5th, and Macao 7th, General.-Russell & Co. April 7, OLYMPIA, German steamer, 783, T.

Wagner, Saigon and April, Rice.—Siemssen

April 7, RODERICK HAY, British bark, 290, P. H. Nicolson, Whampoa 6th April, General. —Turner & Co. April 7, CHEN-TO, Chinese gunboat, from Canton. April 7, KWANGTUNG, British str., 674, M. Young,

Foochow 4th April, Amoy 5th, and Swatow 6th, General.—D. Lapraik & Co. April 7, DARING, British gunboat, Commander . J. Elliot, Manila 28th March. April 7, KUMAMOTO MARU, Japanese str., 1,240,

Drummond, Nagasaki 2nd March, Coals .-Tardine, Matheson & Co. April 7, F. C. SIEBEN, German bark, 641, C. N.

Dahl, Carimata 14th March, General.-Captain. April 7, FREYA, German steamer, 52, Homeyer, Macao 7th April, Ballast.-Blackhead

April 8, KILLARNEY, British steamer, 1,060, H O'Neil, saigon 4th April, Rice.—Gibb, Li-

vingston & Co. Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company-52 | April 8, Hongkong, British steamer, 958, Y. II. Fryer, Saigon 3rd April, Rice,—siemssen

April 8, MANHEM, Swedish 3-m, sch., 463, A. P. Janssen, Bangkok 9th February, General.— April 8, NATAL, French steamer, 2,554, Didier,

shanghai 5th April, Mails and General.— Messageries Maritimes. April 8, TANAIS, French steamer, 1,500, Drugon, Yokohama 2nd April, Mails and General.—

Messageries Maritimes. CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Irazu, British bark, for Newchwang. Lucia, British bark, for Havre.

Saltee, French steamer, for Hoihow. Ping-on, British steamer, for Hollow. Diamante, British steamer, for Amoy. Crusader, British steamer, for Saigon. Bodild, German bark, for Hamburg. Kwangtung, British str., for East Coast. China, German steamer, for Swatow. Spartan, American schooner, for Ladrones.

DEPARTURES.
April 6, PEGASUS, British sloop, for Singapore. April 7, THALES, British steamer, for East Coast. April 7, FORMOSA, British 3-m. sch., for Takao. April 7, NINGPO, British steamer, for Shanghai. April 7, FOOKSANG, British str., for Shanghai. April 7, Zamnesi, British steamer, for Yokohama, April 7, ASIA, Danish steamer, for Saigon. April 8, Consolation, British str., for Bangkok.

April 8, MARY WHITRIDGE, American ship, for New York. April 8, PETER, German brig, for Amoy. April 8, PENEDO, British steamer, for Saigon.

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED. Per Saltee, str., from Hollow .- 12 Chinese. Per Ashington, str., from Bongkok.—100 Chi-

Per Diamante, str., from Manila,-Mrs. Mamelstine, Messrs. P. C. Wood, A. C. Puebele, and Look sow Tong, a European, deck, and too Chi-

Per Natal, str., from shanghai.—Messrs. Bannexann and T. Rae, for Hongkong. For Marseilles .- Mr. and Mrs. Bordsardt, Mr. and Mrs. Ristellsuber, Mr. and Mrs. Grimmer, Messrs. de la Bastide, Herms Kerk, Macleod, Hopkins, stone, Bonabeau, Dubail, Delanoy, Hart, Pére Rouge, Pere Guillod, Moranger, Boad, Hamlyn, Eagan, and silsott,

Ter Tanais, str., from Yokohama.-Mr. and Messrs, Kahne, Gerbaud, and Higo Zan Tuong for Hongkong. For Marseilles.-Mr. and Mrs. Scheidte, 4 children, and 2 servants, and Mr.

Per Bothwell Castle, str., from San Francisco. --- 130 Chinese. Per Kwangtung, str., from Foochow, &c .- Mr. and Mrs, Mansfield. Colonel Bridgford, and Mr.

Cragh, 4 European deck and 84 Chinese.

The German steamship Olympia reports lest Saigon on the 2nd inst. From the 2nd to the 5th had s.s.E. winds, after that N.E. winds and

strong breeze. The British steamship Hongkoug reports left saigon on the 3rd instant at 7 p.m. Had fine weather and light winds, from Cape st. James to

the 5th; thence strong N.E. moonsoon and head The British steamship Ashington reports left Kohsichang at 1 a.m. on 31st. Had fine weather and smooth sea to Paracells; from thence to port

strong N.E. gale with thick weather, and arrived in Hongkong at midnight. The British steamship Killarney reports left saigon on the 4th instant at 10 a.m. Saw black painted three-masted schooner, standing to Northward. At 7 p.m. saw the steamship Carnarvonshire, standing to southward. On the 6th had

strong wind with thick rain, which lasted till we made the land on the 7th. The British steamship Ping-on reports left Haiphong on the 2nd instant at 7 p.m., Pakhoi on the 4th at 1 a.m., Hoihow on the 5th at 2 a.m., and Macao on the 7th at 11 a.m., and arrived in Hongkong at 3 p.m. same day. From Haiphong | Coal.—P. & O. s. N. Co. to Pakhoi and Hoihow light, variable winds with | Feb. 2, R. T. CLAYTON, American bark, 240, thick, foggy weather. From Hoihow to Macao

and Hongkong strong N.E. wind with thick, rainy weather. The British steamship Bothwell Castle reports left san Francisco on the 7th March. In long. 142° W. had fresh Westerly winds, to long. 175 ° E. Had hard circular gales with high confused sea and fresh N. Westerly winds to Lew Chew Islands, after passing, which experienced brisk gale from N.N.E., and strong N.E. winds | March 7, TARTAR, German brig, 256, T. Benje, down the China sea to Breaker Point, and light

N. Easterly winds into Port. The British steamship Kwangtung reports left Foochow on the 4th instant, Amoy on the 5th, and swatow on the 6th. From Foochow to Amoy experienced a strong N.E. wind with heavy sea and rain. From Amoy to swatow strong monsoon and squally with considerable sea. From Swatow to port fresh monsoon and fine-weather. -In-Amoy the steamships Esmeralda, Kang-chi, and Hailoong. In swatow thesteamships Tienisin, Holhow, Tamsus, Newchwang, Wenchow, Miramar, Himalaya, See-200, Rafanaitianuhar, and Kamtchaika.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

· STEAMERS.

March 25, ALTONOWER, British steamer, 1,611, J. Murray, Saigon 21st March, Rice and Paddy.—Russell & Co.

March 20, ARABIC, British steamer, 2,787, . W. G. Pearne, R.N.R., Liverpool 4th February. Sucz 21st, and singapore 13th March, General.—O & O. s. s. Co.

April 5, BLACKHALLS, British str., 783, Grainger, saigon 31st March, Rice,-D. Musso & Co. April 5, CANOPUS, British steamer, 1,818, R. H. Joy, Hiogo 29th March, Ballast and General.—Russell & Co.

April 2, Carlos, German steamer, C. Haesloop, Hamburg, and Bangkok 24th March, General and Rice .- Siemssen & Co.

April 6, CHINA, German steamer, 648, H. schoer, swatow 5th April, General.—Kwok Acheong

Sept. 28, CONQUEST, British steamer, 316, Ham-lin.—Jardine, Matheson & Co. April 3, CRUSADER, British steamer, 646, Rowin, saigon 30th March, Rice.—Fung Yuen &

Fame, British steamer, 117, Stopani (tug plying)
Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co. March 14, FYEN, Danish steamer, 909, L. C Grove, Bangkok 3rd March, General.—Butterfield & swire. - (Kowloon Dock).

April 2, JAPAN, British steamer, Gardner, Calcutta 18th March, Sand Head 19th, Penang 24th, and Singapore 27th, General.—D. sassoon, sons & Co.—(Cosmopolitan Dock).

Dec. 19, JOLOANO, Spanish steamer, 654, Marquez.—R. Mourente—(Cosmopolitan Dock). April 5, JULIETA, Spanish steamer, 376, Arias, Manila 2nd April, General.—Melchers & Co.

April 2, LENNOX, British steather, 1,327, Scott Calcutta 18th March, Penang 24th, and singapore 26th, General.-Jardine, Matheson July 7, Lt Tat, Annamite steamer, 1,000, Li Ton

Tack.—Captain. Jan. 14, NAMOA, British steamer, 862, Westoby, ←D. Lapraik & Co.

April 2, SAIGON, French steamer, 674, Sibilet Saigon 20th March, Rice.—Messageries Maritimes.

Nov. 24, SEA GULL, American steamer, 48, Hayden.-China Traders' Insurance Co. July 7, SHUN TIP, Annamite steamer, 93, Yuen

Man Fu.-Captain. April 3, STRATHAIRLY, British steamer, 1,236 Fenwick, Singapore 27th March, Ballast .--Siemssen & Co.

March 28, SUEZ, British steamer, 1,390, W. M. Dodd, San Francisco 26th February, General.—Russell & Co.

April 3, VOLMER, Danish steamer. 978, Heintzelmann, Saigon 28th March. Rice.-Geo. R. Stevens & Co.

SAILING VESSELS.

March 30, AGATE, American bark, 626, Brown, Macassar 13th February, Rattan.-Captain. March 30, ANNA, German bark, 447, W. Jessen, Bangkok 18th February, Wood and Rice.-Wieler & Co.

March 27, BERTHA, German bark, 443, Henne, Taiwanfoo 24th March, Sugar.—Carlowitz & Co. Feb. 1, BODILD, German bark, 564, J. E. Hacke, | Sunrise, American ship, 1,219 (Clark)-Master.

Hamburg 26th September, General.—Carlowitz & Co. March 31, BRAMBLETYE, British ship, 1,497,

Pickard, Cardiff 4th November, Coal .-March 9, CHARTER OAK, American ship, 964, L. Argos, Brilish brig, 289 (Johnson)—Captain. Gilkey, Hiogo 26th February, Ballast,-

Captain—(Cosmopolitan Dock). March 29, CHARLES STEWARD, American bark, 630, H. R. Powers, Manila 17th March, Ballast.—Master. (Cosmopolitan Dock). Feb. 22, CHATTANOOGA, American bark, 527,

Howes, Newcastle 21st December, Coal.— D. Lapraik & Co. Jan. 1, COLOMA, Amer. bark, 853, C. M. Noyes. -Rozario & Co.

April 3, ELISE, German ship, 1894, J. Winters, Hamburg 18th October, General.—Car-

Feb. 19, ENDYMION, British bark, 759, T. Richardson, London 25th September, General. -Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

Jan. 28, FRITZ, German ship,1, 420, F. F. Lankenan, Cardiff oth August, Coals.-Melchers April 6, HENRY, German ship, 1,266, T. Fischer,

Cardiff 7th November, Coals.—Order. Jan. 16, H. W. Dudley, Amercan bark, 1,128, W. Dudley.—Rozario & Co.

March 23, H. PRINTZENBERG, German bark, 553, A. Schonemann, Rajang 15th February, Timber.-Melchers & Co. March 24, HOTSPUR, British bark, 522, H. Jack,

Labuan 1st March, General.—Melchers & Co. March 24, IRAZU, British bark, 327, W. A. Pearce, Bangkok 17th February, General.-

Wieler & Co. March 23, JONATHAN BOURNE, American bark, 1,472, A. Doane, Yokohama 11th March, Ballast.-D. H. Ward.

Feb. 26, J. A. BARLONA, American bark, 676, J. H. Kent, Newcastle 29th December, Coal. Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

March 28, LIVINGSTON, German bark, 531, H. steffens, Hamburg and November, General. -Siemssen & Co. Feb. 11, LUCIA, British bark, 640, Crawley,

Liverpool 21st October, Coal,-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. April 2, MARTHA, British bark, 853, McPherson, Swatow 30th March, Ballast.—Rozario & Co. Feb. 2, Nellie M. Slade, American barkentine,

Coal.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co. April 5, ROCK TERRACE, British ship, 1,768, J. s. Hutchinson, Newport, Mon., 5th Dec.,

Thomas Davies, Laguimanoc 23rd Dec., and santa Cruz 24th January, Lumber.-Order. Jan. 26, SUMATRA, American ship, 1,072, C. Lock, Port Townsend 1st December, Tim-

April 5, THREE BROTHERS, British bark, 366, H. Kahleke, Quinhon 24th March, Salt-Ec Tye Hong. Macassar 30th January, Rattans.—Melchers

ber.—Russell & Co.

Jan. 12, Wakefield, American bark, 887, Crowell. -Rozario & Co. March 17, WALLS CASTLE, British bark, 625, H. A. Brown, Hingosa and March, Timber.-

Lane, Crawford & Co. CANTON

April 6, YANGTSZE, British steamer, 784, Ed. Lee, shanghai and April, General—siems-

WHAMPOA.

March 24, CHARITE, French bark, 299, Leroy, Chefoo 13th March, General.—Carlowitz

RIVER STEAMERS.

Ichang, British steamer, 700, Ogston.—Butter- | Curacoa, corvette, 14 guns, Captain S. Long, field & Swire. Kiu-kiang, British steamer, 617, T. Benning,--Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. Kiang-ping, Chinese steamer, 360, Holmes,-

Kiung-chow, British steamer, 159, Goggin.-Kwok Acheong & Sons. Powan, British steamer, 1,890, A. Benning.— Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co.

spark, British steamer, British, 140, Hoyland,-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. Nov. 29, CERU, American steamer, 373, Parker. | White Cloud, British steamer, 280, Cary.—Hongkong, Canton, & Macao steam-boat Co. Yot-sai, British steamer, 180, McDougall.—Kwok Acheong & sons.

. - AMOY.

In Port on 31st March, 1882.

Indroklos, British bark, 400 (Murray)—Boyd Anna Dorothea, German bark, 343 (Jessen)-

Pasedag & Co. E. v. Beaulieu, German bark, 336 (C. Octting)— Pasedag & Co. Frohlich, German brig, 360 (Moller)—Pasedag

Kolga, British bark, 359 (Kleffel)—Pasedag & Co. Omeda, British bark, 480 (C. Bruce)—Boyd & Co.

FOOCHOW. In Port on 29th March, 1882.

Caroline, German schooner, 272 (Nichelsen)— Russell & Co.

Louise, American schooner, 280 (Lawrence)-Kaw Hong Take & Co. Siberien, German bark, 360 (Schultz)-Kaw Hong | Tweed, double-screw gunboat, 3 guns, in reserve, Take & Co. Willie, British schooner, 247 (Badenoch)-Chi-

SHANGHAI.

In Port on 28th March, 1882.

Almatia, American schooner, 387 (Lapham)-Batavia, British bark, 774 (Jenkins)—Nils Moller. Carmelita and Ida, German bark, 402 (Ketels) siemssen & Co.

Catherine Marden, American sch., 287 (Marden) Ching-tah, British bark, 456 (schultz)-J. W Muller & Co. Chin-se, British bark, 788 (Maher)-Morris

City of Montreal, American ship, 1,169 (Mudgell) —C. & J. Trading Co. F. P. Litchfield, American bark, 1082 (spalding) -Adamson, Bell & Co. Hedvig, British bark, 375 (Hendro)—Nils Moller.

Hermann, German brig, 209 (Lemcke)-F. A. Burchardi. John Potts, British bark, 373 (Brown)-Morris Kristina Nilson, Swedish bark, 281 (Petersen)-· Russell & Co.

Marie Louise, German bark, 441 (Ericksen)-Nylghau, German schooner, 1,252 (Lovitt)-C. & J. Trading Co. Solidor, British bark, 241 (Danielsen)-Nils

Tiger, British bark, 1,028 (Newby)-Little & Co.

NAGASAKI. In Port on 25th March, 1882.

Black Diamond, German bark, 670 (Boyd)-

Brenda, British brig, 291 (swansea)—Chinese. Friedrich, German bark, 672 (Whorup)—Captain, H. Bremer, German schooner, 331 (Bremer)-Captain. Oleander, British bark, 342 (Joass)-Tai Kee Rachel, British bark, 282 (Affleck)-Holme,

Ringer & Co. YOKOHAMA. In Port on 25th March, 1882.

Adele, Russian schooner, 42 (Gouldes)-F. Retz. Alexander, American schooner, 72 (Carlson)— Anglo Indian, British bark, 444 (Kirkpatrick)-

-Artemisia, British bark, 332 (MacFarlane)-John | st. Petersburg, Russlan transport, 6 guns, Cap-Middleton. . Cashman, American schooner, 51 (Tibbey)-Diana, American schooner, 64 (Peterson)-

D. J. Tenney, American ship, 1,687 (Wilson)— Emily, British brig, 296 (Creighton)—Chinese. Gitanilla, British bark, 472 (Hunt)—John Mid-

Grandee, American ship, 1,395 (B. F. Jacobs)-Frarar & Co. Guardian, American ship, 1,123 (Fletcher)-Helene, American schooner, 60 (Ewalt)-

Kiwa Elizabeth, Russian schooner, 113 (Johnstone)—Captain. Lady Bowen, British bark, 891 (T. Pain)-Mollison, Frazar & Co. Lota, British bark, 472 (Dadfield)-Chinese.

North Star, Russian schooner, 38 (Ridderbjelke) —Captain. Ohude, American schooner, 72 (Wilson)-Captain. Otome, American schooner, 52 (Snow)-Captain. Otsego, American schooner, 36 (Pearce) -

Otter, American schooner, 70 (Littlejohn)-Captain. 561, D. Gould, Newcastle 7th December, Plata, French bark, 657 (V. Duel)-Mollison, Fraser & Co. Prince Arthur, British bark, 275 (J. Smith) ' Captain.

Prinna Donna, American ship, 1,450 (Hatch)-

MANILA.

Andromeda, German bark, 1870.—Captain. Chilton, British bark, 152.—Captain. Elizabeth, French bark, I,083.—Captaip. F. H. Bowers, American bark, 665.—Captain. Florence, British bark, 435.—Captain. Golden State, American ship, 944.—Captain. Maria Anna, German'ship, 1.266—Captain. Meta, German ship, 1,332-Captain. Mikado, British bark, 643.—Captain. Minerva, spanish bark, 637-Captain Mohawk, German bark, 986.—Captain. Mystic Belle, American ship, 754.—Captain. Nervion, spanish bark, 598 .- Captain. Panay, American ship, 1,190,-Captain. Paul Jones, American ship, 985.—Captain. Remus, British bark, 377.—Captain. Ringleader, American ship, 1.183.—Captain. Samar, American ship, 1,110.—Captain. Tecumsch, American ship, 1,306,—Captain. Wilhelm, German ship, 1,315.—Captain.

Wrecker, American schooner, 55 - Captain.

HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S SHIPS IN THE CHINA SQUADRON.

Albatross, screw sloop, 4 guns, Commander. Errington, Hongkong. Comus, corvette, 14 guns, Captain J. W. East, Singapore.

Daring, composite sloop, 4 guns, Commander F. J. J. Elliott, Manila.

Encounter, steam corvette, 14 guns, Captain G. Robinson, Hongkong. Esk, double-screw gunboat, 3 guns, In reserve, Hongkong.

Flying-Fish, sloop, 4 guns, Licut.-Commander Hoskyn, Kobe. Fly, double-screw gun-vessel, 4 guns, Lieut. Com-mander Pollard, Singapore.

Foxhound, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieut.-Commander McQuhae, Hongkong. Iron Duke, double-screw iron frigate, 14 guns, Camlets, LLL, per piece.......... \$13.50 to 14.00 Captain R. E. Tracey, Hongkong. Kestrel, double-screw gun-vessel, 4 guns, Commander W. M. Lang, Kobe.

Lily, screw gun-vessel, 3 guns, Commander W.

Magpie, surveying vessel, 4 guns, Lieut.-Com. Carpenter, Yokohama. Midge, double-screw gun-vessel, In reserve, ' Hongkong.

M. Carey, Borneo.

Moorhen, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieut.-Commander J. H. Corfe, Shanghai. Mosquito, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieutenant Honorable F. R. Sandilands, Borneo.

en route to singapore. Sheldrake, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieut.-Comander M. Bridger, Shanghai. swift, double-screw gun-vessel, 5 guns, Comman-

der Collins, Manila. Hongkong. Victor Emanuel, receiving ship, 20 guns, Commodore Cuming, Hongkong.

Wivern, turret-ship, 4 guns, in reserve, Hong-Zephyr, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieutenant-Commander Pollard, on a cruise.

Vigilant, paddle despatch-vessel, 2 guns, Lieut.-

Commander C. Lindsay, Hongkong.

FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR ON THE CHINA STATION.

Abreck, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Captain Schanz, Japan. Adonis, French gunboat, 5 guns, Commander Caillard, Saigon.

Alert, American corvette, 4 guns, Commander L. Kempsi, Nagasaki. Ashuelot, American corvette, 6 guns, Commander H. E. Mullen, Nagasaki. Asia, Russian cruiser, 11 guns, Captain Amos-

soff. Manila. Ermak, Russian transport, Captain Koltchau, Gornostai, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander Stark, Nagasaki.

Hertha, German corvette, 19 guns, Captain Von Kall, Hongkong. Iltis, German gunboat, 8 guns, Commander Klausa, Hainan. Kersaint, French corvette, Commander Ger-

vaise. Yokohama. La Victoriense, French frigate, 13 guns, Captain de la Batie, singapore. Lee Tak, Annamese gunboat, Commander Y. W. Tong, Hongkong.

Legaspi, Spanish transport, Don Mariano Torres, Hongkong. Monocacy, American gunboat, 9 guns, Commander C. s. Cotton, Kobe.

Morge, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander Tatarinoff, Tientsin. Moscow, Russian transport, 6 guns, Captain Tchirikoff, Vladivostock. Nerpa, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander

Valrondt, Japan. Palos, American gunboat, 6 guns, Lieutenant-Commander Green, Kobe. Prince Pojarsky, Russian frigate, 18 guns, Cap-

tain Schanz, Singapore. tichmond, American frigate, 12 guns, Captain Skerratt, Yokohaman. Sobol, Russian gunboat, 7 gunboat, Commander Boyle, Hongkong.

tain Sidenener, Vladivostock, Stotsch, German corvette, 19 guns, Captain von Blanc, Hongkong. strelok, Russian corvette, 9 guns, Commander

Delivron, Batavia. swatara, American corvette, 8 guns, Commander A. P. Cooke, Kobe. Tamega, Portuguese gunboat, Commander Costa Cabral, Macao.

Tongous, Russian gunboat, Commander Heck, Nagasaki. April 3, VILLARS, French corvette, Captain M Dewatre. Singapore 27th March. Vostock, Russian gunboat, 4 guns, Commander

Molchonsky, Japan.

Wolf, German gunboat, 4 guns, Commander Strauch, Tientsin.

> MARKETS. REPORTED BY CHINESE FIRMS AND CORRECTED TO DATE.

American Drills, 30 yards, per piece \$2.95 to 3.10 | Saltpetre, per picul..... American Drills, 15lbs., per piece \$3.90 to 3.95 seaweed, Green, per picul....... \$2.75 to 2.85 Cotton Yarn, No. 16 to 24, per 400 Seaweed, Cut, per picul....... \$3.05 to 3.15 1bs. \$88.50 to '93.00 | Sesamum, White, per picul \$3.85 to 3.95 Cotton Yarn, No. 28 to 32, per 400

Cotton Yarn, No. 38 to 42, per 400 lbs......\$118.00 to 124.00 Cotton Yarn, Bombay \$79.50 to 82.00 | Stockfish, per picul \$5.00 to 6.50 Chintz, per piece \$1.70 to 1.75 Dyed spotted shirtings, per piece... \$3.60 to 3.85 Dyed Brocades shirtings, per piece \$3.55 to 3.70 Dyed Damask shirtings, per piece \$5.50 to 5.65 English Drills, 30 yards, per piece \$2.55 to 2.65 English Drills, 14lbs., per piece..... \$2.45 to 2.50 English Drills, 15lbs., per piece ... \$2.85 to 2.90 Grey shirtings, 7lbs., per piece..... \$1.55 to 1.63 Grey shirtings, 8lbs., per piece..... \$1.77 to 1.85 Grey shirtings, 831b., per piece..... \$1.95 to 2.22 Grey shirtings, 9lb. per piece \$2.65 to 2.75 Grey shirtings, 10lbs. per piece..... \$2.97 to 2.99 Grey T-Cloths, 24 yds. & 30 in. 6lbs., per piece \$1.20 to 1.25 Grey T-Cloths, 24 yds. & 32 in. 7lbs.,

Grey T. Cloths, 24 yds. 36 in. 8lbs. QL per piece \$2.10 to 2.15 Grey T-Cloths, 24 yds. 36 in. 8lbs. XX per piece \$2.45 to 2.50 Handkerchiefs, Blue, per dozen \$0.60 to 0.65 Handkerchiefs, Brown, per dozen... \$0.55 to 0.62 Handkerchiefs, Red, per dozen..... \$0,63 to 0.64

per piece \$1.80 to 1.85

Velvet Black, 32 inches, per yard... \$0.18 to 0.19 Velvet, Gentian, 22 inches, per yard \$0.21 to 0.22 Velveteens, Black, per yard \$0.21 to 0.22 Velveteens, Gentian, per yard \$0.28 to 0.29 White shirtings, 54 to 60 reed, p. p. \$2.15 to 2.35 White shirtings, 64 to 66 reed, p. p. \$2.45 to 2.60 White shirtings, 68 to 80 reed, p. p. \$2.80 to 3.35 White shirtings, 600 reed, per piece \$3.45 to 3.50 White shirtings, 700 reed, p. piece \$3.20 to 3.25
White shirtings, AA, per piece..... \$1.65 to 1.70
White shirtings, EF, per piece..... \$5.30 to 5.32
White shirtings, MH, perpiece..... \$3.90 to 3.95
White spotted shirtings, per piece... \$2.45 to 2.50 White Brocades, per piece..... \$2.50 to 2.65

WOOLLEN GOODS.

Blankets, 8lbs., per pair......\$3.90 to 3.97 Blankets, 9lbs., per pair..... \$4.20 to 4.25 Blankets, 10lbs., per pair \$4.65 to 4.70 Blankets, 12lbs., per pair \$5.70 to 5.75 Camlets, sss, per piece \$13.50 to 14.00 Camlets, ss, per piece...... \$13.50 to 14.00 Camlets, s, per piece \$14.50 to 15.00 Camlets, 1313B, per piece \$15.00 to 16.00 Camlets, AAA, per piece \$15.00 to 15.50 Long Ells, MM scarlet, per piece... \$7.65 to 7:70 Long Ells, MM Assorted, per piece \$7.65 to 7.70 Long Ells, HH scarlet, per piece... \$7.75 to 7.80 Long Ells, HH Assorted, per piece \$7.65 to 7.70 Long Ells, H scarlet, per piece..... \$7.75 to 7.80

Lastings, DD, per piece \$12.50 to 14.80

Long Ells, H Assorted, per piece... \$7.95 to 7.82

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